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# LIGHTSHIP IS MISSING

Italian Steamer Failed to Pick Up Light on Diamond Shoals Off Hatteras.

MAKES PLEA OF INSANITY

Mrs. Whaley Not Responsible for the Cruelty Inflicted on Her Niece-Appeal Cases.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NORFOLK, VA., Jan. 9 .- The defense in the Whaley cruelty case, which has attracted attention throughout the State, will rely upon an insanity plea for a mitigation of the five year sentence yesterday pronounced against Mr. Annie L. Whaley. It is held that Mrs. Whaley has been a great sufferer, and that she has had to undergo repeated surgical operations. Consequently, the court will be asked to set aside the verdict on the

be asked to set aside the verdict on the ground that the defendant did not realize what she was doing.

LIGHTSHIP MISSING.

Diamond Shoals lightship, which warns the shipping away from Cape Hatteras, is reported missing from her station. Captain Gustavino, of the Italian steamer "Sopergo," reported to-day that he falled to pick her up in the latitude given as her station. She may have been blown out to sea in the gale, but as she is equipped with engines and a crew, no apprehension regarding her safety is fex.

Commonwealth's Attorney John G. Tilton will seek to have passed by the Legislature a bill providing that the appeal cases from the Police Court to the Corporation Court shell to tried in the higher court the same day the appeals are noted. He does this to correct abuses 'arising though appeals.

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Newport News Yard to Build One of the New Battleships.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEWPORT NEWS, VA., Jan. 5.—Constable Vincent, from Hyattsv.lle, Md., arrived this morning with requisition papers for William Little, alias "Big Bill," who is wanted, there for larceny. The constable states that Little har a long term staring him in the face, as he is wanted on several charges. The principal one is horse stealing.

There will be a distinguished gathering to-morrow afternoon at the First Bapilst

There will be a distinguished spatiering to-morrow afternoon at the First Bapilst Church in this city's when the Sailors' Rest will hold a raily meeting.

Admirals Harrington and Watson have promised to come and make short addresses, and Captain Thomas will also be here. The Rev. Dr. J. W. Porter will address the meeting.

The local sappard will bid on one of the battleships for which contracts will be awarded next Friday.

## STOLE HIS GOLD

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TOOTH WHILE HE SLEPT

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

GREENSBORO, N. C., Jan. 9.—Jafler
May, in a talk this morning about the
ups and downs of his kind of business,
said that it would be much easier if the
immates would not be continually stealing from one another. He said they gave
him a great deal of worry making their
complaints every morning, and troubling
lum to search for stolen articles. He
was particularly communicative this
morning, for he was tickled. He said
that he had two prisoners in one cell.
One of them had a scarf pin, which he
vas very proud of, but his most treasured
possession was a gold tooth, which was
fastened in nit jaw with a screw. He had
often unscrewed it and exhibited it to
his envious companions in the adjoining

cells, emphasizing how much it cost.
This morning the tooth and the pin were
missing. After a long search it was
found tied up in the wool of his cellmate, just behind his ear. He had unscrewed the tooth while his companion

The First Goncourt Prize.

The Goncourt Academy, founded by Edmond Goncourt in memory of his brother, has awarded its first prize of \$1,000 for the book of highest literary merit submitted to the jury. The book is entitled "Forces Ennemies," and is a psychological study of a madman. The author, M. Torquet, who writes under author. M. Torquet, who writes under the pseudonym of John Antoine Neu, was for years in the French merchant mailne, rising from seaman to assistant purser. Hitherto he has been quite unknown, except to a few who are acquainted with his translation into French of one of Dostolovski's novels. The prize book shows greatly the influence of Edgar Allen Poe and Baudelaire. The jury comprised Justin Rosny, J. K. Hoysmans, Leon Henniquez, Elemir Bourges, Luon Daudet, Gustave Geffroy, Lucien Descaves, Octave Miricau, Paul Marguerite and Mery Bosny.

Choice of a House Cat.

A god cat-the kind you want to have in the house, if any-will have a round stubby pug nase, full, fat cheeks and upper lip, and a well developed bump on the top of his head between the ears, betokening good nature, A sleepy, cat that purrs a good deal is apt to be play-

ful and good natured.

By all means to be avoided is a cat with thin, sherp nose and twitching ears, it must be remembered, also, that a good mouser is not necessarily a gentile or desirable pet. Although any good cat will catch mice, if she is not over for catch catch full expressive eyes generally

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betoken a good mouser.

The greatest mistake—and probably
the' most common one—in the care if
domest'c cats is overfeeding, particularily, too hauch meat. In wild life the cat
has exerc'se which enables her to dig st
her food. In the lazy house life the same
full fee ing leads to stomach troubles
ar 1 to fits.—Philadelphia Record.

# TO BE PROUD OF

Growth of Life Insurance Company of Virginia Scarcely Less Than Wonderful.

The steady growth from year to year of the business of the Life Insurance Company of Virginia is scarcely less than vonderful.

From 1887, when the premium income was less than \$100,000, each year's business has shown a substantial increase ever that of the year before, and this,

over that of the year before, and this, too, in spite of periods of depression in the general business of the country.

The year 1903 was no exception, and the gross income increased during that year from \$1,889,248.16 in 1902. to \$1,570,359.51, and insurance in force increased from \$24,416.332 to \$39,717.1311, an increase of \$5,30,100 in one year, by far the largest increase in any one year of the company's history.

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Our Enormous and Unprecedented Holiday Business leftous with a vast array of broken lines and odd lots of high-grade merchandise, which we offer at reductions of

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MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS that sold for \$4.75

No Goods Charged During This Sale.



One-Prior To Everybody.

Cape Fear Country Club, of Wilmington, Has Authorized Capital of \$125,000.

COMPLAIN OF SHORT PINTS

Patrons of the Dispensary Say the Bottles Do Not Hold a Full Pint.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. D.-The Cape Fear Country Club, of Wilmington, was clartered to-day, with \$1,100 capital paid in and \$125,000 authorized, the objects rpecified being to establish club houses, with golf grounds, tennis courts, bowling alleys and grounds for any and all kinds of amusement. The incorporators are liugh MacRae, Donald MacRae, J. J. Bigir, J. V. Grainger, T. M. Emerson, W. S. Williams, George Rountres, E W. Van Court Lucas, J. R. Kenly, Fembrook Jones, B. H. Bridgers, M. H. Renan, C. W. Bidgood and L. W. Mur-

chinon

The Charlotte Publishing Company was chartered, with \$20,000 capital, to do a general book store and publishing business. The incorporators are T. J. White, H. C. Henderson and G. A. Smith.

The Albemarle Live Stock Company, with \$10,000 capital, was incorporated by J. M. Morrow, A. C. Heath and J. R. Kluttz.

Another charter was to the J. L. Casper Company, of Winston-Salem. It is organized for the purpose of conducting a big rectifying and wholesale whiskey establishment in that place. The capital is 330,000, and the incorporators are J. L. Casper, R. R. Kenny and A. W. Jones. Chairman J. W. Bailey, of the North Carolina Anti-Saloon League, issues a statement of the policy of the league for the coming year. Briefly stated, it is to enforce, protect and improve the Watta act; to move "gainst the drunkard; make an active campaign for temperance, and undertake to get one hundred thou-

make an active campaign for temperance, and undertake to get one hundred thousand boys to sign the pledge to abstaln from liquors, cigarettes and to stand for temperance. He recommends a temperance State convention early in the spring.

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SAY THEY ARE SHORT.

A number of citizens who patronize the dispensary, which has been in operation since the new year, have filed complaint with the Mayor that the bottles of whiskey which are sold in pints are ready short. That instead of weighing sixteen ounces, as they should, they weigh four-teen ounces. Ls a result, an order has heen made by the management that all bottles be tested before being issued.

Wesley Morgan, he young negro driver who was waylaid and beaten almost to death hist Saturday while coming to Raieigh with a lead of wood, and left out freezing, has sufficiently recovered to nake a statement, and says an unknown negro induced him to drive to a country school house to sell the wood, and or the way knocke' him off the wagon, and beat him into unconsclousness. This negro then drove to town and sold the wood; then left the team tied to a beiegraph pole, where it was found. No arrest has been made.

J. C. Biakeley, a well known horse dealer, was brought from Smithfield today and committed to jail to await trial for embezzling \$5.000 from a \$t\$. Louis firm of horse dealers for whom he was sgent in this city a few years ago. The case has been pending for about two years, but recently it was discovered that the bond he had given was not satifactory, and a capias war issued for his airest.

The Eccretary of State charters the J.

The Secretary of State charters the J. P. Mills Company, of Mooresville; capital, \$15,000; to conduct a general mercan-

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this business.

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A farmer named Williams came to Raieigh yesterday, bought a pint of whiskey from the dispensary, became so drunk on the way home that he fell off his wagon and was run over by another vehicle. His injuries are that serious that he is expected to die.

Mr. Thomas Heartt has brought suit against the International Correspondence School for \$10,000 because a district manager charged him with stoning and being a "liar and scoundrel." Judge Purnell, of the Federal court, will be asked to summon a special jury early next week to try the case, although there is no regular session of the court.

Commissioner S. L. Patterson announces a series of sixteen farmers' institutes to be held, beginning January 19th, in various counties of East Carolina. He and State Chemis B. W. Kilgore, Profesor W. F. Massey, and others connected with the Agricultural Department and Agricultural and Mechanical Col-

nected with the Agricultural Department and Agricultural and Mechanical College, will take prominent parts. nstitutes will bo: Warrenton, January 11.th; Jackson, January 20th; Murfrees bero, January 22d; Winsor, January 25th; Gatesville, January 27th; Currituck, January 20th; Camden, January 30th; Eliza-beth City, February 1st, Wertford, Feb-tuary 2d; Edonton, February 3d; Roper, February 5th; Washington, February 5th; Greenvillo, February 8th; Tarboro, Feb-ruary 9th and 19th; Golsboro, February 1th

The wire, it was claimed, belonged to the Lynchburg Telephone Company, and it was heavily charged at the time. The boy's right hand was so badly burned that a part of it had to be amputated. The Telephone Company, of which Charles W. Scott is president, is protected to the extent of \$5,000 by a guarantee company. company.

## Variegated.

white—There was no lack of color in the afternoon I put in to-day.
Black—how's that?
"Well, Brown took me for a ride in his red devil with a blue humorist and a green chauffeur, and we spent the time in a whitewashed cell reading a yellow newspaper while waiting for him to raise the greenbacks to pay the fine."

Get Well. That is all. Send no money. Simply sign above. Tell me the book you need. I will arrange

with a druggist near you for six bottles of

Dr. Shoop's Restorative

Take it a month at my risk. If it succeeds the cost to you is \$5.50. If it fails the druggist will bill the cost to me. And I leave the decision to you.

### Don't Wait Until You Are Worse

Taken in time, the suffering of this little one rould have been prevented. Her mother writes me: "Two years ago my little girl was sick continuously for six months We tried many dectors, an they falled, yet it took only two bottles of you remed, to cure her, and such a has remained oured. You can tell others of this cure if you so desire,
"Mrs. C. H. Avery, Rockdale, N. T."

ris a pity she did not first write me, before the The wife of Omer Andrus, of Bayou Chicot, La., had been sick for 20 years. For 8 years could do practically no work. He writes:

"When she first started taking the Restorative she barel" we ghed 99 pounds; now she weighs 135, and is able cash; to do all her housework."

Twenty "dark" years might have been "bright" ones. J. G. Billingsley, of Thomasville, Ga., for three years has been crippled with disease. Now he is

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years has been crippled, with disease. Now he is well. He writes:

"I spont \$250.00 for other medicines, and the \$2.00 I have repeat with you have done me more good thun all the res."

Both money and suffering might have been saved. And these are only three from over \$6,900 similar cases. These letters—dozens of them—come every day to me.

How much serious illness the Restorative has prevented. I have no means of knowing, for the slightly ill and the indisposed simply get a bottle or two of their druggist, are cured, and I never hear from them.

But of \$60,000 sick ones—seriously, sick, mind you—who ask for my guarantee. 39 out of each 40 have paid. Paid because they got well.

If I can succeed in cases like these—fall but one time in 40, in diseases deep seated and chronloisn't it certain I can always cure the slightly ill?

### Why the Restorative Succeeds

You may oil and rub, adjust and repair a weak engine. It will never be stronger nor do its work better, without steam. More power-more steam is necessary.

And so with the vital organs. Doctor them as you will. That's mere repairing. Permanent cures never come save through treating the nerves that operate those organs.

And that my Restorative does.

After almost a lifetime of labor—of study at bed-sides and research in hospitals—I made this dis-covery. I found a way to treat, not the organs themselves, but the nerves—the inside nerves—that operate these organs and give them power and strength and health. That discovery has shown the way to cure.

It makes my offer possible,

I know the remedy. I never can forget the study, all the research, the trials and tests that perfected it. I have watched its action year after year in cases difficult, discouraging. Time after time I have seen it bring back health to those poor ones whom hope had almost deserted. I know what it will do.

My only problem is to convince you. And so I make my offer. And the bare fact that I make such an offer ought of itself to convince you that I know how to cure. Please read it again, It means exactly what I say. No catch—no mis-leading phrases in it. Simply this—you take the

leading phrases in it. Simply this medicine and I will take the risk. And you-not I-decide if you are to pay.

## All You Need To Do

Simply sign the above—that is all. Ask for the book you need. The offer I make is broad-is liberal. The way is easy-is simple. The Restorative

But do not misunderstand me.

This is not free treatment, with nothing ever to pay. Such an offer would be misleading-would belittle the physician who made it. But I believe in a sick one's honesty-his gratitude. That when he is cured, he will pay the cost of the treatment-and gladly.

I make this offer so that those who might doubt, may learn at my risk. Tell of it, please, to a friend who is sick. Or send

me his name. That's but a trifle to ask-a minute's time-a postal. He is your friend. You can help him. My way may be his only way to get well. I, a stranger, offer to do all this. Won't you, his

friend, his neighbor, simply write?

He will learn from my book a way to get well. Perhaps, as I say, the only way for him. His case may be serious-hopeless almost. Other physicians -other specialists may have falled. The matter is urgent, then.

Write me a postal or sign above to-day. Address Dr. Shoop, Box 6288, Racine, Wis.

## WITH THE

(Special Correspondence of The Times-Dispatch.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 9.—The masculine and feminine of art! There is no sex in art. Mmc Carreno plays with a strong wrist and a determination of purpose altogether masculine. The force and vigor of her technique and the strength of character portrayed in her interpretations are of the sterner stuff. Now this Venezuelan Senora played some Chopin plees the other day at Bechstein Hall, London, and what was the result? Chopin was effeminate, neurotic. His music is so-called feminine music. A woman possessing almost masculine qualities of mind plays music by an effeminate mun. The consequence was, the critics say, that she overestimated, the composer. In his polonalse, which she played, she made Chopin a sort of military poser, whereas these compositions were written with an 'assumed strength' as of a "gentle animal suddenly aroused to anger."

"" woman strength as of a ger. woman-denly aroused to anger. woman-who makes a position for purself on the concert stage must, from the very diffi-culties she encounters, possess the great-est determination and the strongest of ost goterminators and a woman characters. And how can such a woman also possoss the languishing, dreamy qualities required for the correct inter-pretation of Chopin music? The probles is a difficult one.

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Awarded in Suit of Frank C.

Booker for Personal Injury
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George Henschel gave a telk on Brahms in London a few days ago, and in the course of interesting anecdots and per-sonal reminiscences of this famous Gersonal reminiscences of this famous German, dwelt at length on the point of view towards art which Brahms always took, and which very often has made certain of his critics rather hostile to his general methods and to some of his works. He made himself disagreeatle personally, as when he remarked on the death of Wagner, "There goes another corpse." Mr. Henschel asserted that many allow themselves to be prejudiced against the music of Brahms by his personality. Brahms once told Mr. Henschel, it seems, that music need not be beautiful, but it must be perfect. Therein, perhaps, lies the cause of much of the mon-appreciation of Brahms. People

continue to look for beauty and melody where the composer has not aimed to produce these, it is a difficult undertaking to create heautiful music even when one tries, but surely it cannot be supposed for a moment that loveliness can exist in an art-work through accident. A composer should be judged only in accordance with what he aims to do.



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they are "interwoven with sombre and Vescey. Said Joachim: "I have lived melancholy themes." It was played in the Vander Stucken concerts on New Year's Day. The work is a sample of programme music representing a faun's joy in the woods as he sees a group of nymphs dancing on the grass in the sunshine of a summer's afternoon, and his grief as they escape from him and he realizes the vanity of his delight.

Alfred Bruneau has completed a new ly Zola.

Rachmaninoff's new opera, "Alico," the liberto based on a poem by Pushkin, has been produced at Moscow. Year's Day. The work is a sample of pro-

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